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Rome, June 23.

BY the Paſſage of the Weekly Spaniſh Courier from Madrid to Naples, the Pope received Notice of the Arrival there of M. Conti, his Nuncio to the Court of Liſbon, and of the very gracious Audience he had of his Catholick Majeſty; and that he had received Advice, that the King of Portugal had ordered two Officers of his Court, with proper Attendants, to proceed to Bajadox, on the Confines of Portugal, there to receive and entertain the Nuncio at his Expence, and to conduct him to Liſbon.

Florence, June 30 On the 23d Inſtant, (the Eve of the Feſtival of St. John) the Race of Chariots was run for the uſual Prize. The ſame Day M. Cambiaſo, a Genoeſe Merchant dwelling at Leghorne, having obtained the Great Duke's Approbation, purchaſed from Marquis Malaſpina, the Marquiſate of Monte Maſſi, and Rocca Federighi, in the Maremme of Siena, for Eleven thouſand Crowns; in conſequence of which, he received the Inveſtiture of it with the uſual Formality, and took the Oath of Allegiance to the Great Duke, adminiſtered to him by the Chevalier Neri, purſuant to the Authority conferred upon him for that purpoſe by his Royal Highneſs, in his Abſence

The next Day, being the Feſtival of St. John, the Tutelar Saint of Tuſcany, the Chevalier Neri, as the moſt antient Councillor of State, and appointed to repreſent the Great Duke's Perſon on that Occaſion, went in State, in a Coach and Six of the Court, attended by the Court Livery Servants, by the different Magiſtrates of the City, and by a Detachment of Grenadiers, to receive the Homage from the different Subaltern Towns and Feudataries of Tuſcany; after which, he walked in Proceſſion to the Church of St John, and then he returned to his Houſe, attended by the ſame Retinue of the Great Duke's Equipage and Soldiers. In the Evening there was the uſual Race of Barbary Horſes; and the eldeſt Prince and Princeſs of Tuſcany were at the Lodge on both Days to ſee the Races.

On the 26th, the Courier (whom the Councillors of State had a few Days before diſpatched to the Great Duke, to inform him of the Diſpoſitions they had made, with regard to the Swediſh Ship now at Leghorne, from Alexandria, infected with the Plague) returned hither; they are to break Bulk at a Diſtance; and if any Misfortune ſhould happen to the People employed in doing it, both the Ship and Cargo are to be burnt; this the Proprietors have conſented to.

The Epidemical Sickneſs having been diſcovered amongſt the Cattle in divers Parts of Tuſcany, the Magiſtrates of Health have preſcribed an effectual Remedy ſo as to put a Stop to the Extenſion of that Infection.

Madrid, June 28. The King and Royal Family returned from Aranjuez Yeſterday; and this Morning there was a moſt numerous Appearance at Court to compliment his Majeſty on his ſafe Arrival.

Paris, July 11. His Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty and the Royal Family will ſettle at Compeigne, on Tueſday next, the 17th of this Month.

War-Office, June 23.

Royal Regiment of Horſe Guards, Cornet Giles Eyre is appointed to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Vernon; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, William Sotheron, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Giles Eyre; by Purchaſe.

3d Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain John Manſell to be Major, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Milbanke; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Lieutenant Richard Brooke to be Captain, vice John Manſell; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Cornet James Ford to be Lieutenant, vice Richard Brooke; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Henry Yarburgh, Gent. to be Cornet, vice James Ford; by Purchaſe.

11th Regiment of Dragoons, Captain Ralph Dundas to be Major, vice David Bell; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Lieutenant Alexander Hart to be Captain, vice Ralph Dundas; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Cornet Roger Aytoun to be Lieutenant, vice Alexander Hart; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, George Warrender, Gent to be Cornet, vice Roger Aytoun; by Purchaſe.

15th Regiment of Dragoons, Major George Ainſlie to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Sir William Erſkine; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Captain David Dundas to be Major, vice George Ainſlie; by Purchaſe

Ditto, Captain Lieutenant George Parkyns to be Captain, vice David Dundas; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Lieutenant John Floyd to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice George Parkyns; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Cornet James Chaloner to be Lieutenant, vice John Floyd; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Evelyn Anderſon, Gent. to be Cornet, vice James Chaloner; by Purchaſe

1ſt Regiment of Foot Guards, Enſign John Thomas De Burgh to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Manners; by Purchaſe.

1ſt Battalion of the Royal Regiment of Foot, Peter Auriol Drummond, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Joſhua Evans; by Purchaſe.

2d Battalion of the Royal Regiment of Foot, Enſign David Balfour to be Lieutenant, vice John Eliott; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Lieutenant Alexander Campbell to be Quarter-Maſter; vice John Eliott.

11th Regiment of Foot, William Bury, Gent. to be Enſign, vice William Tomkins, preferred; by Purchaſe.

12th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant George M'Gill, from Half-Pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Cotes, who exchanges.

20th Regiment of Foot, Captain Edmund Armſtrong, from Half Pay, to be Captain, vice James Stuart, who exchanges.

35th Regiment of Foot, John Graves Simcoe, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Prince, preferred.

37th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Parry of the 7th Regiment of Dragoons, to be Captain, vice John Gordon; by Purchaſe.

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Ditto, Enſign Archibald Buchanan from Half Pay, to be Enſign, vice Rowland Godfrey, who exchanges.

52*d Regiment of Foot*, Enſign George Hamilton to be Lieutenant, vice John Hawkeſley; by Purchaſe.

59*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain Lieutenant Charles Moore to be Captain, vice Joſeph Williams; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Lieutenant James Figge, to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Charles Moore; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Enſign Dennet Milton Woodward to be Lieutenant, vice James Figge, by Purchaſe.

70*th Regiment of Foot*, Enſign Ruſſell Chapman from Half Pay, to be Enſign, vice John Gerrard Fleetwood, who exchanges.

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, July 17, 1770.

The Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, hereby give Notice, That at Salters Hall, in London, on Wedneſday the Nineteenth Day of December next, or as ſoon after as may be, the following Eſtates will be let on Leaſe for Twenty-one Years, or under, to commence upon the Twelfth Day of May, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſeventy one; that is to ſay, Keſwick *and* Wanthwate Mills *with the Appurtenances, in the Manor of* Caſtlerigg *and* Darwentwater *and County of* Cumberland, *now in the Tenure or Occupation of Joſeph Croſthwaite; and a Parcel of Ground, Part of* Warkes Common, *in the Barony and Manor of* Warke, *and County of* Northumberland, *lately allotted to the ſaid Commiſſioners upon a Diviſion of the ſaid Common, and now in the Tenure or Occupation of Lionel Charlton. All Perſons willing to take the ſaid Eſtates, are deſired to give in their Propoſals in Writing, to Mr. Ibbetſon, at the Admiralty-Office, London.*

N. B. *Keſwick Mill has been lately rebuilt; Wanthwate Mill, to which a Dwelling Houſe and Stable will be added, is now rebuilding; and a Set of Houſing is to be built on Warkes Common Allotment, againſt the Time of Entry.*

John Ibbetſon.

Navy Office, July 14, 1770.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, That all Bills, regiſtred on the Courſe of the Navy, for the Months of March, April, May, and June, 1769, *are ordered to be paid in Money, that ſuch Perſons, as are poſſeſſed thereof, may bring them to this Office to be aſſigned on the Treaſurer of the Navy for Payment.*

Victualling Office, July 14, 1770.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That there is Money in the Hands of the Treaſurer of His Majeſty's Navy, to pay Intereſt and Non-Intereſt Bills regiſtered on the Courſe of the Victualling, in the Months of March, April, May, and June, 1769, *in order that the Perſons, poſſeſſed of the ſaid Bills, may bring them to this Office to be aſſigned for Payment.*

A General Meeting of the Truſtees of the Surry New Roads will be held at the Royal Oak Inn in Vauxhall, on Saturday the 28th Inſtant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, to lett on Leaſe, to the beſt Bidder, (by Propoſals in Writing ſealed up) for any Term not exceeding three Years from Michaelmas next, the Tolls payable at all the Gates and Bars now erected, viz. at Lambeth-Marſh, on the North Side of the Circus in St. George's Fields, and at the Bars near the Stones-End, and Kentiſh Road, or at any other Gates or Bars that ſhall be erected. No Propoſal for leſs than Three Thouſand Pounds per Ann. will be accepted.

Rich. Summerſell, *Clerk.*

Goldſmiths-Hall, London, March 22, 1770.

WHEREAS the Company of Goldſmiths in London are entitled to divers Privileges for the ſearching, aſſaying, ſuperviſing, marking, and regulating Wrought-Plate, in order to aſcertain the Standard thereof, for the Good and Safety of the Public; and have lately proſecuted and convicted divers Perſons for Frauds in the ſaid Trade: Therefore they have directed public Notice to be given, that they are reſolved to proſecute every Perſon that ſhall be detected in making or ſelling any Gold or Silver Wares leſs in Fineneſs than the reſpective Standards by Law appointed.

By Order of the Court of Aſſiſtants of the ſaid Company,

GEORGE FAIR, Clerk.

N. B. The following Extracts from the Acts of Parliament for preventing Frauds in Gold and Silver Wares, Wares, and preſerving the Standards appointed for Wrought Plate, are printed for the Information of the Public.

Stat. 28th Ed. I. Chap. 20. Ordains, That no Goldſmith ſhall make any Veſſel, Jewel, or other Thing of Gold or Silver, but of true Allay, viz. Gold not worſe than the Touch of Paris, and Silver of the Sterling Allay, or better, and that none ſhall Work worſe Silver than Money; and that no Veſſel of Silver ſhall depart out of the Hands of the Workers, until it be aſſayed by the Wardens of the Craft, and marked with the Leopard's-Head; and if any Goldſmith be attainted that he hath done otherwiſe, he ſhall be puniſhed by Impriſonment, and Ranſom, at the King's Pleaſure.

Stat. 18th Eliz. Chap. 15. Enacts, That no Goldſmith ſhall Work, Sell, or Exchange, or cauſe to be Wrought, Sold, or Exchanged, any Wares of Gold leſs in Fineneſs than Twenty-two Carracts, nor any Wares of Silver leſs in Fineneſs than Eleven Ounces Two-penny Weight; nor put to Sale, Exchange, or Sell any Plate or Goldſmiths Work of Silver, before he hath ſet his Mark thereto, upon Pain to forfeit the Value of the Thing ſo ſold or exchanged.

Stat. 6th Geo. I. Chap. 11. Enacts, That no Perſon ſhall Work any Manufacture of Silver, leſs in Fineneſs than Eleven Ounces Two-penny Weight, or put to Sale or Exchange the ſame till touched, aſſayed, and marked, under the Penalties preſcribed by the Laws in being.

Stat. 12th Geo. II. Chap. 26. Recites, That the Company of Goldſmiths of the City of London have been a Corporation Time out of Mind, with divers Privileges, confirmed and enlarged by ſeveral Charters, for the ſearching, aſſaying, ſuperviſing, marking, and regulating Wrought Plate, in Order to aſcertain the Standard thereof, for the Good and Safety of the Public.

Sect. 1ſt, Enacts, That no Perſon, making, trading, or dealing in Gold or Silver Wares, ſhall make or cauſe to be made any Manufacture of Gold, leſs in Fineneſs than Twenty-two Carracts of fine Gold per Pound Troy; nor any Manufacture of Silver, leſs in Fineneſs that Eleven Ounces Two penny Weight of fine Silver per Pound Troy; nor ſhall Sell, Exchange, expoſe to Sale, or Export, any Manufacture of Gold or Silver of leſs Fineneſs, upon Pain, for every ſuch Offence, to forfeit Ten Pounds; and for Default of Payment, to be committed to the Houſe of Correction, and kept to hard Labour, for any Time not exceeding Six Months, or until Payment.

Sect. 5th, Enacts, That no Perſon, making, ſelling, trading, or dealing in Gold or Silver Wares, ſhall Sell, Exchange, expoſe to Sale, or Export any Manufacture of Gold or Silver, until marked with the Makers, and the Company's Marks, upon Pain, for every ſuch Offence, to forfeit Ten Pounds, or be committed.

Sect. 21ſt, Enacts, That every Perſon who ſhall make, or cauſe to be made, any Manufacture of Gold or Silver, ſhall firſt enter his Mark, Name, and Place of Abode, in the Aſſay-Office, upon Pain to forfeit Ten Pounds, and Ten Pounds more for uſing any other Mark, or be committed.

Sect. 22d, Enacts, That the ſaid Penalties and Forfeitures ſhall be recovered, with full Coſts of Suit, in any Court of Record at Weſtminſter; and that the Defendants ſhall put in ſpecial Bail: And that one Moiety of the ſaid Penalties ſhall go to His Majeſty, and the other Moiety to the Perſon who ſhall ſue for the ſame.

Stat. 31ſt Geo. II. Chap. 32d. Enacts, That if any Perſon ſhall forge or cauſe to be forged any Stamp, uſed for marking Gold or Silver Plate by the Goldſmiths Company, or by any Maker of Gold or Silver Plate, or ſhall caſt, forge, or counterfeit,

terfeit, or cauſe to be caſt, forged, or counterfeited, any Impreſſion, in Imitation of any Mark made with any Stamp uſed as aforeſaid; or ſhall mark, or cauſe to be marked, any Wrought Plate of Gold or Silver, or any Wares of Braſs or other baſe Metal, ſilvered or gilt over, and reſembling Plate of Gold or Silver, with any Mark, forged or counterfeited, in Imitation of any Mark uſed as aforeſaid; or ſhall remove, or cauſe to be removed, from one Piece of Wrought Plate to another, or to any Veſſel of ſuch baſe Metal, any Mark, made with any Stamp uſed as aforeſaid; or ſhall ſell, Exchange, expoſe to Sale, or Export any Wrought Plate of Gold or Silver, or any Veſſel of ſuch baſe Metal as aforeſaid, with any ſuch forged, or counterfeit, or removed Mark thereon, knowing ſuch Mark to be forged, counterfeited or removed; or ſhall wilfully have, or be poſſeſſed of any forged or counterfeited Mark or Stamp; every Perſon, offending in any of the Caſes aforeſaid, being convicted, ſhall be adjudged guilty of Felony, and ſuffer Death.

*** Any Perſon may have a printed Copy of the above Extracts at the Goldſmiths Company's Aſſay-Office, in Foſter-Lane, London.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Sir Edward Dering, late of Surrenden Dering in the County of Kent, Bart. are to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Cuddon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Graves, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, An Eſtate called Gregghouſe, ſituate at Eccleſfield about three Miles from Sheffield in the County of York, now lett to Tenants at Will at the yearly Rent of 31 l. 10 s. clear of Land-Tax and other Taxes, late the Eſtate of Paul Parkin, of Eccleſfield aforeſaid, Gentleman, deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John His, now or late of Coleman-ſtreet, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 11th Day of September next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, (and not on the 19th of July inſtant, as mentioned in the London Gazette of the 30th of June laſt) at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners for the Cuſtody of the Great Seal of Great-Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Duncan Clarke, of London-ſtreet, London, Merchant, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Four Days, to be computed from the 14th Day of this Inſtant July; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 18th Day of July inſtant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are then and there to come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Otter and Joſeph Taylor, late of the Pariſh of St. Bride's in the City of London, Bricklayers, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 24th and 31ſt Days of July inſtant, and on the 31ſt Day of Auguſt next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Helm, Attorney, Garden Court, Temple, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Beart, now or late of Loddon in the County of Norfolk, Innholder, Dealer, and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 3d, 4th, and 28th Days of Auguſt next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Thomas Tilbury, called the White Swan Inn in the Pariſh of St. Peter of Mancroft in the City of Norwich, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Foſter, Attorney, in Norwich.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Olive, of Frome Selwood in the County of Somerſet, Dyer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to Sir Sidney Stafford Smythe, Knight, the Hon. Henry Bathurſt, Eſquire, and Sir Richard Aſton, Knight, Lords Commiſſioners for the Cuſtody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the ſaid John Olive hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his late Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 7th of Auguſt next.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Edward Griffiths, of Whitehaven in the County of Cumberland, Jeweller, have certified to Sir Sidney Stafford Smythe, Knight, the Hon. Henry Bathurſt, Eſquire, and Sir Richard Aſton, Knight, Lords Commiſſioners for the Cuſtody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the ſaid Edward Griffiths hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his late Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 7th of Auguſt next.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Jabez Davilon, of Cornhill, London, Haberdaſher of Hats, Hoſier, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to Sir Sidney Stafford Smythe, Knight, the Honourable Henry Bathurſt, Eſquire, and Sir Richard Aſton, Knight, Lords Commiſſioners for the Cuſtody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, that the ſaid Jabez Davilon hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his late Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 7th of Auguſt next.

THE under-mentioned Perſons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printers of the LONDON GAZETTE, to be inſerted in this Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

THE following Perſons being Priſoners for Debt, in the reſpective Priſons, or Goals, hereafter mentioned, do hereby give Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, paſſed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of